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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

Thierry DESLANDES, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/392,585

Filed: September 09, 1999



Group Art Unit: 2756

Examiner: W. Vaughn Jr.

For: PROCESS FOR MONITORING THE CONSUMPTIONS OF FRANKING MACHINES

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 1, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 12, delete "it is question";

line 13, delete "of" (1st occurrence).

Page 3, line 8, delete "acquisition", insert --acquiring--;

delete "of" (2nd occurrence);

line 10, delete "display", insert --displaying--;

delete ",on the one hand, of", insert --(1)--;

line 11, delete ", on";

line 12, delete "the other hand,", insert --(2)--;

delete "of";

line 16, delete ", in addition,";